

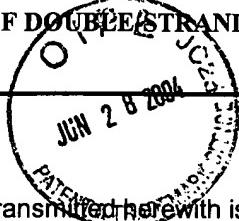
AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

Applicant(s): Ketner, et al.

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**Invention: USE OF GENE PRODUCT OF ADENOVIRUS EARLY REGION 4 ORF-6 TO INHIBIT REPAIR
OF DOUBLE STRAND BREAKS IN DNA**



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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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For: "**USE OF GENE PRODUCT OF ADENOVIRUS EARLY REGION 4 ORF-6 TO INHIBIT REPAIR OF DOUBLE-STRAND BREAKS IN DNA**"

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 5, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

The Status of the Claims is indicated by the appropriate notation in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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